GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department – Municipal Elections - Fixation of Strength of Elected Members, Reservation of seats, Reservation of Offices of Chairpersons, Delimitation of Wards, Determination of specific wards in Municipalities & Nagarpanchayats -Delegation of certain powers vested with the Government to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, AP – Notification – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (G) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No.59 **Date:12.01.2020**

Read the following:-

1. GO Ms.No.37, MA&UD (Elections-II) Dept., dated 03-02-1995.
2. GO Ms.No.38, MA&UD (Elections-II) Dept., dated 03-02-1995.
3. From the C&DMA, A.P., Guntur, letter Roc.No.13021/70/2019-D-1, dated:07.01.2020.

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ORDER:-

In the reference 1st & 2nd read above, Government have delegated its powers to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration and the District Collectors in order to take up certain statutory activities to be taken up before issuance of the Election Schedule for conduct of Municipal Elections by the State Election Commission.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Guntur, has submitted a proposal to delegate certain powers of the Government to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration in order to complete the statutory activities like fixation of the Elected Members, Reservation of seats to the offices of Ward Member, Chairperson, delimitation of wards, determination of specific wards to be reserved to STs, SCs, BCs & Women which have to be done prior to issuance of the Notification for conduct of Elections to the Nagar Panchayats and Municipalities in the State.

3. After careful examination of the proposal submitted by the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, AP, Guntur, the Government hereby decided to delegate certain powers vested with the Government to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration for carrying out the statutory activities.

4. The following notification shall be published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette on **Dt:12-01-2020**.

(P.T.O)

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under section 387 of AP Municipalities Act, 1965, read with Sections 5 (2) (i), 10 (1), 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Municipalities Act, 1965 and AP Municipalities (Fixation of strength of Nagar Panchayats and Municipal Councils) Rules, 2004, Division of Nagar Panchayats & Municipalities into Wards Rules, 1994 and Reservation of Offices of Chairpersons to Municipal Councils & NPs Rules, 1995, the following powers vested with the Government are hereby delegated to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration:-

1. The power of "Fixation of strength of elected members of the Municipal Councils and Nagarpanchayats" is delegated to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration/Director of Municipal Administration.

2. The power of "Reservation of Offices of Chairpersons to Municipal Councils & Nagarpanchayats" is delegated to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration/Director of Municipal Administration.

3. The power of "Delimitation of Wards (Division of Municipalities into Wards) by the Municipalities and Nagarpanchayats" is delegated to the Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration/Director of Municipal Administration.

5. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration shall take necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

J.SYAMALA RAO
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P., Guntur.
The Secretary, A.P. State Election Commission, 1st Floor, New Hods Building,
Mg Road, Vijayawada -520010, Opposite Indira Gandhi Municipal Stadium.
Copy to:-
The Law (I) Department.
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER